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SUBJECT: CONTINENTAL SHELF JURISDICTION IN THE GULF OF
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1. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO DELIVER FOLLOWING NOTE TO
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS IN RESPONSE TO CANADIAN NOTE NO. 1126,
DATED SEPTEMBER 19, 1974. TEXT OF NOTE FOLLOWS:

2. "THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA PRESENTS
ITS COMPLIMENTS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AND
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HAS THE HONOR TO REFER TO THE DEPARTMENT'S NOTE NUMBER

1126, DATED SEPTEMBER 19, 1974, CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE
BY THE UNITED STATES OF A PERMIT AUTHORIZING CERTAIN SEIS-
MIC EXPLORATIONS RELATING TO AREAS OF THE CONTINENTAL SHELF
IN THE GULF OF MAINE.

-THE POSITION OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WITH
REGARD TO ITS JURISDICTION OVER THE AREAS REFERRED TO IN
THE DEPARTMENT'S NOTE WAS FULLY SET FORTH IN THE DEPARTMENT
OF STATE'S NOTE OF NOVEMBER 5, 1969. IT CONTINUES TO BE
THE UNITED STATES' POSITION THAT THE EXPLORATION AND EXPLOI-
TATION OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES OF THE AREAS OF THE CONTI-
NENTAL SHELF SUBJECT TO THE PERMIT REFERRED TO BY THE
DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS ARE SUBJECT TO THE JURISDIC-
TION OF THE UNITED STATES.

"THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WISHES TO REITERATE ITS
INTEREST IN AN APPROPRIATE SETTLEMENT OF THIS MATTER, AND
ACCORDINGLY WISHES TO INFORM THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA OF
ITS WILLINGNESS TO RESUME NEGOTIATIONS AIMED AT ESTABLISH-
ING A MUTUALLY ACCEPTED DELIMITATION OF THE CONTINENTAL
SHELF IN THE AREA OF THE GULF OF MAINE, AT A MUTUALLY
CONVENIENT TIME AND PLACE." (COMPLEMENTARY
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